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PROPOSED ELECTORAL DIVISIONS.

The Northwest Council have proposed to the Dominion Parliament to divide the district of Assiniboia as follows for the purpose of representation in the new legislature of the Territories:

1. Electoral Division of Souths shall contain Townships 1, 2, 3, and 4, in Ranges 30, 31, 32, 33 and 34, West of the Principal Meridian, and Ranges 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10, West of the Second Principal Meridian.
2. Electoral Division of Mooses Mountain shall contain Townships 5 to 10 inclusive, in Range 30, West of the Principal Meridian, to 10, West of the Second Principal Meridian, inclusive.
3. Electoral Division of Mooses shall contain all that part of Assiniboia bounded on the south by Township 11, inclusive; on the west by Range 23, inclusive; on the north by the northern boundary of Assiniboia; and on the east by the western boundary of the province of Manitoba.
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7. Electoral Division of South Qu'Appelle shall contain all that part of Assiniboia bounded on the south by the International boundary, on the west by Range 16, West of the Second Principal Meridian, inclusive; on the north by the northern boundary of Assiniboia; and on the east by Range 11, West of the Second Principal Meridian, inclusive.
8. Electoral Division of East Qu'Appelle shall contain all that part of Assiniboia bounded on the south by Township 20, inclusive; on the west by Range 16, West of the Second Principal Meridian, inclusive; on the north by the northern boundary of Assiniboia; and on the east by Range 11, West of the Second Principal Meridian, inclusive.
9. Electoral Division of Regina North shall contain all that part of Assiniboia bounded on the south by the Canadian Pacific Railway; on the west by Range 23, West of the Second Principal Meridian, inclusive; on the north by the northern boundary of Assiniboia; and on the east by Range 17, West of the Second Principal Meridian, inclusive.
10. Electoral Division of Regina South shall contain all that part of Assiniboia bounded on the south by Township 9, inclusive; on the west by Range 23, West of the Second Principal Meridian, inclusive; on the north by the Canadian Pacific Railway; and on the east by Range 17, West of the Second Principal Meridian, inclusive.
11. Electoral Division of Moose Jaw shall contain all that part of Assiniboia bounded on the south by Township 9, inclusive; on the west by Range 6, West of the Second Principal Meridian, inclusive; on the north by the northern boundary of Assiniboia; and on the east by Range 24, West of the Second Principal Meridian.
12. Electoral Division of Wood Mountain shall contain all that part of Assiniboia bounded on the south by the International boundary; on the west by the western boundary of Assiniboia; on the north by the northern boundary of Assiniboia; and on the east by Range 7, West of the Second Principal Meridian.
13. Electoral Division of Medicine Hat shall contain all that part of Assiniboia bounded on the south by Township 9, inclusive; on the west by the western boundary of Assiniboia; on the north by the northern boundary of Assiniboia; and on the east by Range 7, West of the Second Principal Meridian.

PROHIBITION.

The resolutions of the Northwest Council asking for the application of the prohibitory liquor law applying to the Territories, brought out determined opposition from a considerable number of elected members. And not without good reason. Whatever the opinion of any individual may be regarding the merits of the present law or the methods of its enforcement there is a point upon which all are agreed—that the liquor traffic must be controlled; and almost all, that being a social matter the method of control should be decided strictly apart from political questions, as it can only be by a direct vote of the people. The proposition of the council was that the method of control should be fixed not by direct verdict of the people but according to the resolution of the council itself, which were only fractionally representative.

The chief weakness of the present law is that it is not known to be according to the wish of the people most concerned. It is as yet an open question whether the majority will favor license or prohibition. Certainly a large number of the people of the towns express themselves in favor of license, and their opinions are for natural reasons more heard of than those of the remainder. It is a disadvantage as well as an advantage of responsible government that every executive act is measured by its probable political effect. Consequently when a claimer is raised that any certain law is unpopular the executive is careless about rigidly enforcing it. If a popular majority declare for prohibition it would be to the political interest of the executive to carry out their wish, to show whether the law could or could not be enforced and what advantages or drawbacks were connected with it. If on the other hand the majority favored license, license would not doubt be granted and the traffic would be placed on the footing of legalized respectability which its advocates desire to see it occupy. In either case a definite decision would be reached, and while the question of prohibition vs. license was being decided other interests would not suffer. But if license is prescribed for the present system without a direct appeal to the people, prohibitionists will have cause of complaint quite as great as prohibitionists have now, and there will be a continual jangling to the special disadvantage of those engaged in the traffic, until the matter has been decided by popular vote. Only those who desire to profit themselves at the general expense could have wished to introduce such a sweeping change upon such an important

question without the due considered and definite sanction of the people necessary to give the change on such an important question without the due consideration, and definite sanction of the people necessary to give the change when made, whatever it might be, permanent and beneficial effect.

If the resolution of the late council is acted upon the only opportunity for the people to declare themselves on this question will be at the next election to the new council assembly. At that election, the first in all probability under a new system of government, there will be many political questions of great importance to be decided. There will be many local questions pressing for consideration on which the general vote will be divided. As a solid body having only one object in view the chances of the liquor interest securing a majority in the new council are as favorable as it was in the power of the late council to make them. Should they secure the wished for majority no doubt a license system will be introduced and vested interests created, that while they will strengthen the liquor interest, will be in continual danger of being wiped out at any time that a popular majority in the Northwest can be induced to follow the example of so many of the communities of eastern Canada and States of the adjoining republic, to the loss of the investors and the general disarrangement of connected business. Would it not be better for the men who compose the liquor interest themselves to have this matter decided by a straight vote, that if it went in their favor would give them some security for their investments and if it went against them would be a warning not to invest in a losing speculation? The matter can only be finally decided by a popular vote. It will have to be brought to that issue at no distant day. In seeking to shirk a direct vote as long as possible so that men might be induced to invest their means under the impression that they had the support of the majority when really their assistance, when really their assistance was what was desired, the action of the council was certainly not commendable except on grounds that would justify the sacrifice of a friend in order to gain a point.

While this proposal to mix a social with ordinary political questions at the next local election greatly disadvantages the former it does as much for the latter. There is very little prospect that the responsible government asked for by the council will be granted in the interval, but rather a bureaucracy of some sort. In that case if the Territories are to secure the responsible government and increase of subsidy to which they are entitled a very clear and emphatic expression of opinion will be necessary at the local elections. If it had been the leading desire of the council to prevent such a result it could not have devised a better way than by suggesting that the license question be made a conjunction issue. There are many people who favor license who also favor responsible government, and again there may be prohibitionists who have their doubts about the advantages of that system. In its desire to ignore the temperance cause the council has done equal injury to the cause of responsible government which it professed to strongly favor. Had the issues been presented separately both would have been carried or defeated on their separate merits. By putting them together they are made to fight each other to the advantage of the enemies of both.

The single course open to the opponents of a liquor license system is clear. They did not desire to have this issue forced upon the country at this time or in this way. If the settlements of other questions of importance are deferred by the discussion of this question of license vs. prohibition during the next few months the time does not rest upon them. Believing that the liquor traffic is a curse, and that the system which licenses, legalizes and makes it respectable is doubly a curse, their duty is, whenever necessary, to let no all other considerations

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